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## SUBMISSION OF OATH/DECLARATION IN 35 USC 371 APPLICATION

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Applicants submit the attached Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application for filing in the above referenced application. The application was originally submitted under 35 USC 371 with a Petition to Revive, said Petition being granted on January 11, 2006. The \$130.00 surcharge for late filing of the Oath was originally paid at the time of the Rule 371 Submission.

Applicants respectfully request the entry of the attached oath/declaration in the subject application.

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